

Eagle cross country team continues success in Oberlin



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Colby High School Eagle runner Jason Simmering got some encouragement from cross country coach Bob Mannebach at the Oberlin Invitational on Tuesday. The Eagle boys took second and the Eagle girls first. Simmering finished 10th overall and was the second Eagle boy to cross the line.

Bulldogs find second win in Healy

By ROY E. DIXON
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The Brewster High School Bulldog football team came away with a 30-28 win in Healy Friday night.

The first quarter was tough, with both teams holding their own, but unable to score.

In the second quarter, Jake Long started the Bulldog movement forward with an interception on the Eagle 15-yard line. Jacob Falcon passed to Long for a touchdown and Falcon ran the 2-point conversion.

On the next Healy drive, J.R. Baird made a hit, causing a fumble and giving Brewster the ball. The drive ended with another Falcon pass, this time to Baird for a touchdown. Falcon passed to Baird again for a 2-point conversion.

The first quarter ended with Brewster leading 16-0. In the second quarter, Healy put eight points on the board, but Brewster fired up and marched downfield, ending with a Falcon pass to Baird for another touchdown. Sean Swanson completed the 2-point conversion.

On the last play of the first half, John Luckert sacked the Eagles quarterback to end their drive.

The second half opened up with an-

other Eagle touchdown, to make the score 24-14 Brewster.

The Bulldogs will be in Winona Friday night, taking on the Triplains Vikings at 7:30 p.m.



In the fourth quarter, Falcon scored on an 65-yard run to put Brewster up 30-22. Healy scored the last touchdown of the game, late in the fourth quarter, but it wasn't enough.

Area Schedule

Thursday, Sept. 27
Colby High School varsity cross country at Hays at 3:45 p.m.
Jayvee girls tennis at Norton at 3 p.m.
C-team volleyball with Scott City and Ulysses in the elementary gym at 4:30 p.m.
7/8th grade football with Scott City at Dennen Field at 4:30 p.m.
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Colby Community College hosts Lamar and Mid-Plains at the Colby Community Building at 5 p.m.

OBERLIN — The Colby High School Eagle cross country teams added to their growing list of honors in Oberlin on Tuesday, with the girls taking first and the boys taking second.

“The girls and boys cross country teams had a great team effort at the Oberlin Invitational,” said coach Bob Mannebach. “They continue to improve as the season progresses and are running well in a pack.”

The Eagles had some good individual times and places which Mannebach said made for good team results.

“Ivy Ramsey had an outstanding run on an excellent course and under good weather conditions,” said Mannebach. Ramsey finished first with a time of

12:20.

The cross country team will look for another good finish at the Hays Invitational Meet on Thursday at 3:45 p.m.



Here are the team scores:

Boys — McCook, 28; Colby, 63; Wheatland, 110; Oberlin, 120; Goodland, 129;

Cambridge, 132; Norton, 165; Oakley, 188; Phillipsburg, 190.

Girls — Colby, 31; Norton, 57; McCook, 90; Oakley, 93; Phillipsburg, 107.

Here are the individual scores and placing:

Boys — Matt Augustine, 9th, 17:59; Jason Simmering, 10th, 18:02; Nathan Harter, 12th, 18:05; Wyatt Rundel, 17th, 18:37; Carson McKee, 20th, 18:46; Deke Elliott, 21st, 18:48; Shane Stover, 27th, 19:09.

Girls — Ivy Ramsey, 1st, 12:20; Lauren Kaiser, 7th, 13:12; Emily Sloan, 8th, 13:13; Jessie Brenn, 11th, 13:18; Jami Williams, 14th, 13:23; Marcia Kaus, 17th, 13:36; Amanda Seemann, 23rd, 14:08.

Random thoughts from the coach

Just some random thoughts

- Our first scrimmages of the year are in Kansas City on Friday, Oct. 5. We will play Olney, Ill., Des Moines, Iowa and State Fair, Mo. Olney is a top 25 caliber team and will give us a great gauge of where we are this early in the year. As everyone knows, the Jayhawk West is loaded with top 25 caliber teams.

- The pre-season Jayhawk Conference Basketball press conference will be Oct. 22.

- The opening of our season is just around the corner. On Nov. 2-3 we host the Western Sprinklers Tip-Off Classic.

- Barry Bonds has 67 homers with 11 games to play. He has a great chance of breaking Mark McGuire's record of 70.

- The Chiefs do not look like they will make the playoffs.

- The Yankees, Indians, Mariners, and As all have locked up a playoff spot in the American League. The Mariners will play the As and the Yankees will face the Indians. The As have the best record the second half of the year while the Mariners had the best first half. Should be a great playoff series.

- The National League races will come down to the final days. San Francisco is just 1 1/2 games back of Arizona. Philadelphia is right with Atlanta. Houston appears to be a lock in the Central and St. Louis leads the wild card race by three games.



Power Sports

• **Brian Ostermann**

- I like Oklahoma over K-State by a score of 22-10. I think it will be a good football game. The game starts at 11 a.m. Saturday.

- The Ambassador Classic will be November 16-17 for the men and November 15-17 for the women. Once again our sponsor will be Thomas County Insurance. The Colby ambassadors will be out in force in the coming weeks.

- Rich Epp has once again started his sports talk radio show. Be sure to check it out. It airs Mondays from 4-5 p.m. on KQLS 100.3 FM.

- best 3-point shooters. Stu will play the two-guard and three-guard positions. He will be expected to knock down a few threes in the upcoming season. We are fortunate to have a person and player of his caliber in our program. He was coached by his dad Rick Keltner at Hays High.

- Ten of our 14 players have passed their 2-mile run times as of today. Perimeter players must run 2 miles in 13 minutes, big guys must do it in 13:30.

- Former Colby Community College basketball coaching legend Bin Graefe will take in a Trojan workout Saturday.

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